# Daily Digest

## Senate

## Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: One bill and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2947, and S. Res. 395.

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#### Measures Passed:

National School Counseling Week: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S. Res. 381, designating the week of February 1 through February 5, 2010, as "National School Counseling Week", and the resolution was then agreed to.

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### Measures Considered:

Increasing the Statutory Limit on the Public Debt—Agreement: Senate continued consideration of H.J. Res. 45, increasing the statutory limit on the public debt, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto:

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Pending:

Baucus (for Reid) Amendment No. 3299, in the nature of a substitute. Pages S135

Baucus Amendment No. 3300 (to Amendment No. 3299), to protect Social Security. Page S135

Conrad/Gregg Amendment No. 3302 (to Amendment No. 3299), to establish a Bipartisan Task Force for Responsible Fiscal Action, to assure the long-term fiscal stability and economic security of the Federal Government of the United States, and to expand future prosperity and growth for all Americans.

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Reid Amendment No. 3305 (to Amendment No. 3299), to reimpose statutory pay-as-you-go.

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A unanimous-consent-time agreement was reached providing that on Tuesday, January 26, 2010, when the Senate resumes consideration of the resolution, the time until 11:30 a.m., be equally divided and controlled between the two Leaders, or their designees, with the time to be divided and run concurrently on Baucus Amendment No. 3300 (to Amendment No. 3299) (listed above), and Conrad/Gregg Amendment No. 3302 (to Amendment No. 3299) (listed above), that at 11:30 a.m., Senate vote on or

in relation to Baucus Amendment No. 3300 (to Amendment No. 3299), to be followed by a vote with respect to Conrad/Gregg Amendment No. 3302 (to Amendment No. 3299), with two minutes of debate equally divided prior to the second vote in this sequence; with the provisions of the December 22, 2009 order in effect.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that Senate resume consideration of the resolution at 3 p.m., on Monday, January 25, 2010.

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Message from the President: Senate received the following message from the President of the United States:

Transmitting a report relative to the interdiction of aircraft engaged in illicit drug trafficking; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (PM-41)

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Executive Reports of Committees: Senate received the following executive report of a committee:

Report to accompany Hague Convention on the International Recovery of Child Support and Other Forms of Family Maintenance (Treaty Doc. 110–21) (Ex. Rept. 111–2).

Peterson Nomination—Agreement: A unanimous-consent-time agreement was reached providing that at 5:30 p.m. on Monday, January 25, 2010, Senate begin consideration of the nomination of Rosanna Peterson, of Washington, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Washington; with the time until 6 p.m., equally divided and controlled between Senators Leahy and Sessions, or their designees; that at 6 p.m., Senate vote on confirmation of the nomination.

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